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**WHEREAS**, IBM and CADENCE wish to evidence the assignment of such patent rights made in the Agreement with this document.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, IBM agrees as follows:

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"IBM Patents" shall mean the patent applications listed in Attachment A.

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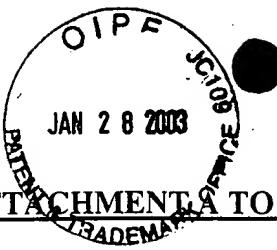
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